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### A BIG TOBACCO CROP IN THE UNITED STATES

Basing the Estimate Of Yield  
On Condition Prevail-  
ing August 1.

That the tobacco crop of the United States this year will be a large one seems to be assured by the official Government report of the condition of the growing crop on August 1. Only in scattering instances has the crop labored under adverse weather conditions. The general average condition for the entire country on August 1 was 84.4 per cent. of normal, as against a ten-year average of 79.3. The forecast of production rose from 1,191,537,000 pounds, based on the conditions prevailing July 1, to 1,196,326,000 lbs. These figures indicate a possible increase in yield over the final estimate of last year of 136,072,000 lbs. or about 12 per cent. Kentucky, the largest producing State, made a considerable improvement during the month of July, and the yield will be larger than was predicted earlier in the season. Connecticut and Massachusetts crops will be large, placing the New England States high in the list of tobacco producers. Pennsylvania, too, seems to have enjoyed a very good season, and the Wisconsin crop made a big improvement during the last month of its growth. Among the States which sustained a slight setback during July were Virginia, North and South Carolina, Ohio and Tennessee. All other large producers record a better outlook on August 1 than a month earlier.

#### BEAVER DAM.

Aug. 28.—Mrs. J. B. Apin and son, of Forreston, Tex., who have been visiting her brother, Mr. W. R. Gray, of Union neighborhood, returned to their home last week.

Mr. Billie Hill and wife and Mrs. Eliza Austin, of Sugar Grove, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith.

Miss Mary Rhoads, of Howell, Tenn., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Charlie Taylor, this week.

Miss Maude Harrison, of Owensboro, is visiting Miss Bessie Alford this week.

Miss Zaleen Allen, of Durham, N. C., who will have charge of the music department of our school, arrived last week.

We received a communication from Mrs. E. P. Neal, of Tulsa, Ok., with one dollar to renew her subscription to the Hartford Herald. She says she loves to read the good old Democratic news from her home State and always finds it in The Herald.

Our city is enjoying a spiritual revival at present. The Brown family, known as the Holiness people, have stretched their tent and are giving us religious services twice a day. Good order prevails and their stay with us will be of benefit to our people, as some will attend these services who never go into a church house.

#### OLATON.

Aug. 28.—A very interesting meeting is going on at Cane Run church, conducted by Rev. Norman Robertson and Rev. Miller. There have been several conversions and others are much interested.

Mr. Carson Duncan and wife and Master C. C. Duncan, of —, arrived at J. B. Canan's last Saturday. Mr. Duncan has a very bad case of malarial fever. He is now getting along very well.

Mrs. Henry Stevens is still in a critical condition, not expected to ever get up.

Mr. Bud Pence and wife, of Florida, have been visiting Mrs. Pence's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lyons, for several weeks. They will leave for their home in Florida about the 1st of September. They will go in their new automobile which they bought last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyons will go to Florida to spend the winter.

Flour has gone to \$1.00 per 24-lb. sack, the best grade. Meal \$1.10 per bushel. It looks like the more mills we have, the higher meal and flour go.

A protracted meeting will begin here at the Methodist church Monday night, September 4th, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Vanhoy. If there is any place that has had more preaching and prayer meetings according to the size of the place than Olaton in the last 7 or 8 months, I would like to know where it is. We had what is called Holy Rollers during the latter part of the winter and up to March. During that meeting some one shot through the writer's kitchen window with a 22 caliber gun, striking the wall on the oppo-

site side of the house. Last Sunday night a week ago some one shot through our front room window. It is a two-pane window, very large, and the windows being up caused the bullet to pass through both sashes. It lodged in the wall just over the dining room door. The fall was located next morning by Chester Lyons and Wm. McDaniel and taken out of the wall. It seems to be a No. 38 cartridge. They care not for the law. The one that killed the chicken in the presence of Misses Zelma Lyons and Paradise Canan and others, would do well to make some settlement before the Circuit Court begins at Hartford.

#### HOPEWELL.

Aug. 28.—Rev. Rayburn filled his regular appointment here last Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Russel and C. G. Taylor attended the fourth and last quarterly meeting at Centertown, Thursday, the 24th. Eld. Rushing was at his best.

Mrs. E. V. Bennett, of Central City, is spending a few days with Mrs. C. G. Taylor before leaving for East St. Louis.

Masters Paul and Harry King left for East St. Louis last Thursday, accompanied by Miss Margaret Taylor, who will spend a week or two with her sisters, Mrs. H. King and Miss Jessie Taylor.

Mrs. W. E. Johnson is on the sick list.

Mr. Joe Brown, Jr., left for Dayton, Ohio, last Saturday with Mr. Oscar Leach, of Rockport, and others.

Our teacher, Miss Carrie Russel, will give a box supper at Jubilee schoolhouse Friday night, September the 1st, for the benefit of the schoolhouse.

#### EASTVIEW.

Aug. 28.—Quite a crowd went from this place to Hefflin Saturday evening to attend the base ball game.

Misses Goldie and Lockie Austin, of Beaver Dam, are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. B. J. French spent from Thursday until Saturday with relatives at Beaver Dam and Taylor Mines.

Messrs. James and Albert Stewart, Will Bartlett and J. C. Evans made a business trip to Owensboro Friday.

School is progressing nicely at this place with Miss Pearl Bartlett as teacher.

There will be an ice cream supper given at Bells Run church Saturday for the benefit of the church.

#### BENNETT'S.

Aug. 28.—Prayer meeting began at Bethel last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamble Barnes and son David, Mrs. Addis Pate and daughter Martha, Mrs. James Lyons and daughter Dorcas and Mrs. Jeff Watterson, of Hartford, were the guests of Mrs. Luna Maples Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wallace visited in Owensboro recently.

Mrs. Kerby, of Grayson county, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Billie Miller.

There will be a box supper given by Miss Cliffo Felix Saturday night at Bennett's schoolhouse.

Miss Nancy Martin, of Hartford, was the guest of Mrs. Strother Hawkins Sunday.

#### WYSEX.

Aug. 26.—Rev. Whitaker filled his regular appointment at Cool Springs Sunday.

Mr. Bud Maddox purchased a fine span of mules from Mr. Jim Wilson recently. Consideration \$250.

The spelling match at Green Brier schoolhouse Friday night was largely attended and all report a fine time.

There was an old fashioned dance at Eskel Kitchens' Thursday night and all had a big time.

Miss Ella Taylor is visiting relatives and friends at Sugar Grove.

Mr. Bill Lee made a trip to Beaver Dam Sunday.

Several of our boys have gone to Detroit, Mich., being employed by an automobile company.

Mrs. Berilee Swain, of McHenry, Ky., has been visiting relatives in this community for the past week.

A protracted meeting will start at Cool Springs the fourth Sunday in September. Preaching by Revs. Whitaker and Moore.

Crops are good in this neighborhood.

Mr. Walter Payton, a soldier stationed at Ft. Thomas, Ky., was home on a furlough a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis N. Rock are the proud parents of an 8-lb. girl, born August 12. The new comer has been christened Nola May Rock. Mr. Rock is Uncle Sam's efficient rural carrier, on route 4, out of Beaver Dam.

Rev. J. L. Hines will preach at the Wysex Christian church the 1st Sunday in September.

When we get so we don't care whether we are contented or not, there is no longer anything to worry about.

#### CLEAR RUN.

Aug. 28.—Several farmers are preparing to house their tobacco.

Quite a crowd of farmers were out Saturday night to hear the lecture given by Mr. Johnson, of North Dakota, on subject of A. S. of E.

Mr. J. E. Funk, wife and little daughter Ethel Louise spent the week-end with Mrs. Funk's father, Mr. Tom Patton, of Barnett's Creek.

Mr. Thomas Hamilton and family, of Indiana, are visiting relatives at this place.

Miss Anna Baird, of Hefflin, was the guest of Miss Ethel Funk Sunday.

Mr. Young and family, of Caney-

ville, were the guests of Mrs. Young's sister, Mrs. T. C. Park, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Clarence Patton and children were called to the bedside of their grandmother, Mrs. Belinda Patton, of Adaburg, who is very ill of a complication of diseases.

#### Mistake Fatal.

Hickman, Ky., Aug. 26.—Mrs. E. M. Totty, who was found in convulsions and is supposed to have taken the wrong medicine, getting poison instead of her medicine, died yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. She was about twenty-three years old, and is survived by her husband.

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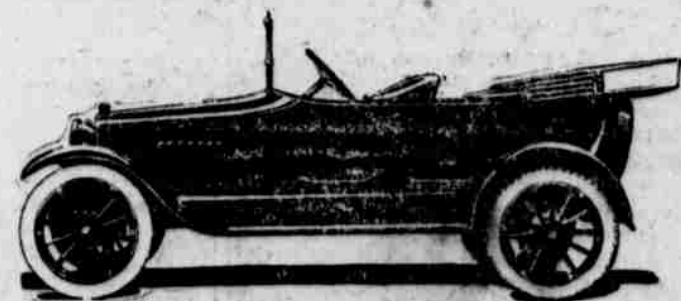
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